



If you think a crime may be in progress, about to happen or that offenders are still nearby - regardless of the time of day or night - call **999**.

When reporting a crime please call the following numbers:

General enquires number and crime reporting 101

OR

In case of emergency 999.

Or

CRIME STOPPERS on 0800 555 111

Your call cannot be traced and you will not be asked your name.

For more information and for more advice on all the above and much more
Please visit

www.avonandsomerset.police.uk

11th January to 13th February 2017

Good evening to you all, since the last Police report we have remained busy, dealing with the usual and the unusual things that occur in our Town and surrounding villages.

Over the last 4 weeks or so, I can report the following have occurred within Ilminster town itself.

7 x Theft from shops / businesses etc. 5 of these are the same offender, at same location, shop given advice which they fail to act upon.

2 x fraud (£20 notes) More fake £20 notes being passed in shops / businesses in town.

2 x harassment, not related to anything of note.

2 x Criminal damage to motor vehicle, unrelated

1 x ASB incidents.

4 x assault, 2 domestic related, 1 is a hate crime due to ethnicity (suspect identified), no links between them.

2 x public order, 1 is road rage incident, suspect dealt with.

2 x burglary non dwelling. these are unrelated.

These figures show a slight increase over the “average” for the time period, but if the 5 for same offender were removed it would be a much more “normal” figure.